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METHOD

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AMENDMENT & REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION  
WITH CLAIM FEE TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated 12 November 2004, this application has been  
amended as indicated below. This reply is timely, but requires a claim fee.

The present Amendment introduces TWO additional dependent claims that require a fee  
of \$100 (\$50 x 2). The Commissioner is authorized to charge \$100 (or any additional fees  
required to maintain the pendency of this application) to Deposit Account No. 18-2056.

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